

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in this application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-13 cancelled

14. (Currently Amended) An isolated polypeptide specified below under (a) or (b):
- (a) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1; or
 - (b) a mutant of the polypeptide of (a), wherein said mutant consists of one amino acid deletion, substitution or addition and wherein said mutant has the activity of stereoselectively reducing 5-acetylfuro[2,3-c]pyridine to 5-(1-(R)-hydroxyethyl)furo[2,3-c]pyridine.

Claims 15-37 cancelled